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- (a) This section does not apply to an award against the Subsequent Injury Fund.
- (b) The Commission shall impose an assessment of 10%, not exceeding \$4,500, against compensation awarded or likely to be awarded against an insured or self-insured employer and not paid if the Commission determines that the compensation is not awarded or is abated because of:
 - (1) death; or
- (2) lack of a covered employee or a dependent of a covered employee eligible for the compensation.
- (c) On expiration of the time period within which a claim may be filed under this title, the Commission shall assess the insurer or self-insured employer \$4,500 if a covered employee dies:
 - (1) due to an accidental personal injury or occupational disease; and
 - (2) without any surviving dependent.
- (d) The Commission shall direct payment of an assessment under subsection (b) or (c) of this section into the Fund.

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